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MISSOURI WEEKLY FEEDER CATTLE WEIGHTED AVERAGE REPORT

Receipts: 16,521; Week ago: 31,697; Year ago: 37,538 Medium and Large 1 (Medium Flesh)

Fdr. S	STEERS:	Fdr. H	IEIFERS:	Hols.	STEERS
369 lbs.	113.89	368 lbs.	101.12	352 lbs.	70.48
459 lbs.	109.34	456 lbs.	95.96	455 lbs.	77.67
540 lbs.	103.95	549 lbs.	91.67	560 lbs.	71.30
641 lbs.	101.33	643 lbs.	92.20	667 lbs.	67.85
732 lbs.	104.27	753 lbs.	96.20	737 lbs.	70.71
874 lbs.	98.66			864 lbs.	66.60
920 lbs.	96.34		İ	906 lbs.	66.10

SOUTHERN MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(West Plains)

Feeder Cattle Receipts: 2174 Week ago: 2116 Year ago 3542 Cow and Bull Receipts: 800 Week ago: 888 Year ago: 1317 Compared to last week, steers under 600 lbs and heifers under 550 lbs 4.00-7.00 lower, with under 450 lbs 5.00-10.00 lower, heavier weights steady to 2.00 lower except 650-750 lb steers steady to 2.00 higher. Slaughter cows steady to 3.00 lower, bulls 2.00 to mostly 3.00 lower.

STE	ERS:	<u>HEIFERS</u> :		
Medium a	and Large 1	Medium ar	Medium and Large 1	
300-400 lbs.	110.00-115.00	Pkg 395 lbs.	92.50	
400-500 lbs.	100.50-107.50	400-500 lbs.	84.00-95.00	
500-600 lbs.	95.00-104.50	500-600 lbs.	83.00-92.00	
600-700 lbs.	94.00-105.00	600-700 lbs.	86.50-93.50	
700-800 lbs.	94.50-103.50	700-800 lbs.	Scarce	
800-900 lbs.	94.00-94.50	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	
Lot 530 lbs. 650-700 lbs Pkg 737 lbs. 825-905 lbs. SLAUGHTER BU Grade 1-2 1200-2 65.00, high dressi low dressing 52.5 COW & CALF P. and Large 1-2 2 6	62.50 65.00-66.00 61.00 65.25 <u>JLLS:</u> Yield 150 lbs 60.50- ng 65.00-68.00, 0-60.00 <u>AIRS:</u> Medium	SLAUGHTER C Breaking and Bo lean) 44.00-52.00 48.50-55.00, Lea 42.50-46.50, low -40.00 REPLACEMEN Medium and Lar 925-1300 lbs 2nd 790.00-925.00 pc pkg Large 1 blks 2nd and 3rd stag form lot 19 hd C yrs 1082 lbs 2nd	T COWS: ge 1-2 3-6 yrs d and 3rd stage er head, small 6 yrs 1480 lbs e 930.00, uni- har-cross 5-6	

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SOUTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Joplin and Springfield)

Feeder Cattle Receipts 3811; week ago 5990; year ago 4844 Cow and Bull Receipts 1001; week ago 1479; year ago 1488 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers sold 2.00-6.00 lower. Holsteins steady to 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows sold 2.00-3.00 lower with instances 4.00 lower, bulls 1.00-3.00 lower.

STEERS:		HEIFERS:		
Medium ar	nd Large 1	Medium and Large 1		
300-400 lbs.	Scarce	300-400 lbs.	97.00-104.00	
400-500 lbs.	101.00-118.00	400-500 lbs.	85.00-94.00	
500-600 lbs.	95.00-108.00	500-600 lbs.	84.50-94.50	
600-700 lbs.	93.50-103.50	600-700 lbs.	82.50-93.00	
700-800 lbs.	93.00-101.50	700-800 lbs.	Scarce	
800-900 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	
900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	
HOLSTEINS: Large Frame 3 300-400 lbs. 70.00-77.00 400-500 lbs. 81.00-83.00 500-600 lbs. 64.00-76.50 600-700 lbs. 59.00-76.00 700-800 lbs. 68.50-72.50 800-900 lbs. 67.50 900-1000 lbs. Scarce		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 45.00-55.00, high dressing 50.00-58.50, Lean (85-90%) 35.50-45.00. SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2, 1350-2030 lbs 59.00-67.50; high dressing 65.50-72.50; low dressing and fleshy 50.00-61.00		
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 2 yrs to short-solid mouth 2nd and 3rd stage 930-1350 lbs most 685.00- 900.00, couple pkgs blk and bwf 925.00-935.00 per head.		COW & CALF P. and Large 1-2 2-6 cows with babies some rebred, most per pair.	yrs 940-1340 lb to 395 lb calves,	

NORTHWEST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Maryville, St Joe)

Receipts: 850, Week ago 3232, Year ago 2499 Compared to last week, steers and heifers 3.00-5.00 lower on a light test of comparable sales. Slaughter cows and bulls 3.00-4.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:			FEEDER HEIFERS:		
Medium and Large 1			Medium and Large 1		
	400-500 lbs.	107.00-110.00	300-400 lbs.	98.00-104.50	
	500-600 lbs.	104.00-105.00	400-500 lbs.	91.25-103.00	
	600-700 lbs.	108.50-111.00	500-600 lbs.	91.75-93.50	
	700-800 lbs.	96.25-106.50	600-700 lbs.	89.25-94.10	
	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	700-800 lbs.	95.25	
	900-1000 lbs.	Scarce	800-900 lbs.	Scarce	
	SLAUGHTER BU Grade 1-2 1350-22 60.00, high dressir low dressing 50.00	250 lbs 56.00- ng 61.00-64.00, 0-55.00	SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 46.50 -52.00, high dressing 50.50-55.00, lean 38.50-45.00		
	BRED COWS: Me 1-2 couple pkgs hi		SLAUGHTER S HEIFERS: No s		

2-5 yrs 1150 lbs 2nd stage 1025.00

-1100.00 per head.

WEST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Sedalia, Kingsville, Passaic)

Receipts 2607 Week Ago 2768; Year Ago: 4066 Compared to last week feeders 1.00 to 12.00 lower. Slaughter cows 2.00 to 3.00 lower.

FEEDER ST Medium and Lar		<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1 and 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	95.50-109.25 95.00-109.75 92.00-108.00	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs.	95.00-112.00 87.00-105.00 85.00-99.25 86.00-101.25 88.75-101.50 scarce	
REPLACEMENT C dium and Large 1-2		SLAUGHTER CO and Boning (75-8 53.25, High dress Lean (85-90%) 4	5% lean) 44.75- ing 51.75-59.00,	
COW & CALF PAII and Large 1-2 Scarce		SLAUGHTER BU Grade 1-2, 1100-2 65.00, low dressin	2105 lbs 58.75-	

EAST CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Bowling Green, Kingdom City, Boonville) Receipts: 2744; Week ago 4048; Year ago 3859 Compared to last week, feeders 3.00-10.00 lower except few 475-525

lb heifers steady to 2.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 lower.

FEEDER S Medium and I		FEEDER HEIFERS: Medium and Large 1& 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. Lot 882 lbs.	110.00-118.00 100.00-120.00 100.00-110.00 95.00-105.00 98.50-101.50 92.00	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	97.00-109.00 95.00-107.00 94.00-102.50 92.50-101.50 87.00-97.00	
SLAUGHTER ST ERS: few Select 88.00-91.00		-57.00, high dre 62.00, Lean 43.0 SLAUGHTER 1	0-85% lean) 47.00 ssing 52.00- 00-53.00	

NORTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Palmyra, Macon, Green City, New Cambria) Feeder Cattle Receipts 2640; week ago 1951; year ago 3466 Slaughter Cattle Receipts 47; week ago 93; year ago 52 Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers 3.00 to 5.00 lower. Slaughter cows 1.00-3.00 lower. Slaughter steers and heifers 2.50-3.00 lower.

Medium and Large 1-2		Medium and Large 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs.	115.00-118.00 114.25-121.00		93.50-100.00 95.00-104.00	
500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	105.50-113.50 107.50-112.00	500-600 lbs.	98.00-105.25 94.50-101.75	
700-800 lbs.	102.50-110.25	700-800 lbs.	95.00-99.00	
800-900 lbs.	96.00-102.90 TEERS: Choice 2-	SLAUGHTER C	92.10-95.50 OWS: Breaking	
3 1200-1400 lbs		and Boning (75-8 53.50, low dressi	35% lean) 47.00-	
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SLAUGHTER HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1150-1250 lbs 85.85-87.85

FEEDER STEERS:

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1350-2200 lbs 60.50-

FEEDER HEIFERS:

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large 1-2 Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 Heifers to 4 yrs 1000-1150 lbs 2nd stage 1160.00-1325.00 per head

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Fruitland, Patton)

Receipts 1806; Week ago: 2228; Year ago 1315

Compared to last week steers and heifers sold uneven, 4.00 lower to 1.00 higher. Slaughter cows 1.00 lower and bulls 2.00 lower.

	STEERS: d Large 1-2	<u>FEEDER HEIFERS</u> : Medium and Large 1-2		
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs. 800-900 lbs.	110.00-127.00 109.00-122.50 102.00-120.25 102.00-112.00 99.50-109.00 98.00-101.50	400-500 lbs. 500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs. 700-800 lbs.	99.00-116.00 92.25-114.00 94.00-105.50 90.00-105.50 90.00-102.00 93.00	
REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 4-7 yrs 825 -1365 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 610.00-900.00 per head		SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and boning (75-85% lean) 43.00-54.50, high dressing 51.00-57.00, Lean 32.50-38.00		
and Large 1-2 few 4-7 yrs 945- 1385 lbs with 60-190 lb calves		SLAUGHTER E Grade 1-2, 1130 57.75, high dress dressing 45.25	0-2090 lbs 53.50-	

SOUTH CENTRAL MISSOURI WEEKLY SUMMARY

(Cuba, Vienna)

Receipts: 1720, Week ago 2237, Year ago 3541

Compared to last week, feeder steers and heifers 3.00-8.00 lower. Slaughter cows steady to 4.00 lower.

FEEDER STEERS:

Medium and Large 1

300-400 lbs.	109.00-115.00	300-400 lbs.	Scarce
300-400 lbs. 400-500 lbs.	106.00-114.75	400-500 lbs.	86.00-98.75
500-600 lbs. 600-700 lbs.	97.75-111.00	500-600 lbs.	87.50-93.50
600-700 lbs.	95.00-103.75	600-700 lbs.	86.00-94.25
700-800 lbs.	99.00-101.00	700-800 lbs.	Scarce

REPLACEMENT COWS: Medium and Large 1-2 3-8 yrs 1100-1275 lbs 2nd and 3rd stage 860.00-1020.00 per head

SLAUGHTER COWS: Breaking and Boning (70-85% lean) 42.00-54.00, high dressing 50.00-62.50, Lean (85-90%) 38.00-49.00

FEEDER HEIFERS:

Medium and Large 1

COW & CALF PAIRS: Medium and Large1-2 3-7 yrs 1000-1150 lbs with baby to 175 lb calves 910.00-1080.00 per pair.

SLAUGHTER BULLS: Yield Grade 1-2 1400-2350 lbs 59.00-65.50, high dressing 68.50-71.50, low dressing 54.50-58.50

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT SLAUGHTER CATTLE REPORT

Weekly Receipts 500; Week ago 200; Year ago 800 Compared to last week, trade rather slow. No confirmed live sales and dressed sales 5.00-7.00 lower.

STEERS: Choice 2-3 1200-1300 STEERS AND HEIFERS: lbs few 92.00 Choice 2-3 550-950 lbs 145.00

HEIFERS: Choice 2-3 1200-GRADE AND WEIGHT (Grid): 1300 lbs few 92.00 Choice 3 550-950 lbs few 147.00

INTERIOR MISSOURI DIRECT HOGS

Weekly Receipts 6723; Week ago 6059; Year ago 10,731 Compared to last weeks close barrows and gilts 2.00 to 3.00 lower, sows steady to 3.00 lower.

SOWS: **BARROWS AND GILTS:**

Base carcass meat price 61.00-300-500 lbs 40.00-47.00 62.00, weekly top Monday 63.00 Over 500 lbs 48.00-52.00

MISSOURI WEEKLY DIRECT WEANER AND FEEDER PIG REPORT

Receipts: 8808 (10-10-08)

Compared to last week, weaner pigs steady to 5.00 higher and feeder pigs no comparison available.

Early weaned pigs 10 lb base weights 100% formulated 8808 head 10 lbs 33.83-40.14, weighted average 10 lbs 38.15

Feeder pigs 0% formulated No sales reported

WHOLESALE FEEDSTUFFS PRICES (DOLLARS PER TON-BULK BASIS)

Area	Soybean Meal 48% Solvent	Cottonseed Meal 41% Solvent	Meat Meal	Wheat Middlings
Kansas City	299.80	263.50	320.00	160.50
St. Louis	267.40	290.00	315.00	145.00

Midwest Exchange Regional Stockyards, Mexico, MO 10/09/08 Receipts: 284, Last Week: 144 Year Ago: 592

Sheep: Slaughter Lambs: Choice and Prime 1-3 mostly shorn 45-100 lbs 72.00-90.00, 100-155 lbs 67.00-89.00. Feeder lambs: Medium and Large 1-2 20-35 lbs 48.00. Slaughter Ewes: Utility and Good 1-3 105-210 lbs 15.00-29.00. Replacement Ewes: scarce. Slaughter Bucks: 130-275 lbs 29.00-43.00. **Goats:** Slaughter Kids: Selection 2-3 45-65 lbs 32.00-38.00. Feeder/Replacement Kids: scarce. Nannies: Selection 2-3 40-80 lbs 16.00 -45.00,80-115 lbs 23.00-32.00. Pygmy-Angora-Dairy influence 35-85 lbs 8.00-19.00. Billies: Selection 2-3 110-165 lbs 85.00-104.00. Wethers: Selection 1-2 55-65 lbs 39.00-49.00, 75-100 lbs 64.00-82.00. unless noted prices on sheep per cwt. Goats per head.

Norwood Dairy Sale 10/09/08 Receipts: 1281 Last month: 1475 Last year: 1510

Springer heifers: Bred seven to nine months: Supreme 1850.00-2150.00, indv Jersey 1700.00; Approved 1475.00-1775.00, crossbreds 1425.00-1550.00; Medium 1225.00-1450.00. Bred three to six months: Supreme 1825.00-2050.00, Jerseys 1525.00-1600.00, crossbreds 1800.00-1975.00; Approved 1600.00-1800.00. Bred one to three months Supreme indv 1625.00, Jerseys 1080.00-1300.00; Approved 1000.00-1320.00. Open Heifers Approved 200-300 lbs 550.00-725.00, Jerseys 300.00-375.00; 300-400 lbs 725.00-885.00, crossbreds 500.00-750.00; 400-500 lbs 775.00-990.00, Jerseys 760.00-875.00, crossbreds 600.00-675.00; 500-600 lbs 850.00-1040.00; 600-700 lbs 1000.00-1270.00; 700-800 lbs 1125.00-1350.00. Replacement Cows: fresh and open milking: Supreme indv 1800.00, indv crossbred 1650.00; Approved 1525.00; Medium 1150.00-1300.00; Common 375.00-625.00. Springer bred cows seven to nine months: Approved 1450.00-1550.00; Medium 1100.00-1425.00, few Jerseys 1150.00-1200.00. Baby Calves Holstein heifers 460.00-560.00, small 130.00-435.00; Holstein bulls 50.00-95.00, small 30.00-50.00; Jersey heifers 210.00-270.00; crossbred heifers 150.00-310.00, small 85.00-125.00; crossbred bulls 25.00-85.00.

Whites Sheep and Goat Auction 10/03/08 Diamond, MO

Receipts: 1510, last month 1395, last year 2039 Slaughter Lambs: Wooled and shorn Choice 1-2 50-60 lbs 67.50-76.00, 60-80 lbs 83.00-92.00, 80-90 lbs 73.00-84.00, 90-133 lbs 80.00 -89.00. Hair lambs 50-60 lbs 75.00-90.00, 60-70 lbs 80.00-102.00, 70-80 lbs 85.00-108.00, 80-90 lbs 65.00-72.50, Feeder Lambs, hair lambs 30-40 lbs 30.00 per head, 40-50 lbs 62.50-81.00, few 89.00-90.00 per cwt. Slaughter Ewes wooled Utility 1-3 112-178 lbs 18.00-37.00, hair ewes 135-190 lbs 26.00-32.00, Bucks, Wooled 139-190 lbs 26.00-32.00. Goats: Slaughter classes, Kids Selection 1 60-70 lbs 90.00-104.00, Selection 1-2 40-50 lbs 85.00-99.00, 70-80 lbs 87.00-97.00, 100-130 lbs 70.00-74.00, Selection 2 60-70 lbs 81.00-89.00, 80-90 lbs 72.00-94.00, 90-100 lbs 90.00-92.00, Selection 2-3 50-60 lbs 60.00-80.00, does/nannies, Selection 2 70-155 lbs 28.00-47.00, Selection 3 58-109 lbs 20.00-39.00, Billies, Selection 1-2 105-185 lbs 60.00-82.50, Aged wethers 105-235 lbs 35.00-64.00, Stocker/feeder kids Selection 2 20-30 lbs 87.50-92.50, 30-40 lbs 87.00-96.00, Replacement Does/nannies Selection 1 reg. Boer 57.50-90.00 per head.

WEEKLY COMMODITY GRAIN FUTURES TRENDS

Compared to last Friday: Soybeans .82 to .84 lower, Wheat .78 to .83 lower, Corn .46 to .51 lower, KC Wheat .65 to .71 lower, Soybean Meal 13.10 to 13.90 lower.

Daily Grain Futures Closes

	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Soybeans Nov Jan Mar May Jul	922 938 1/2 951 1/2 962 1/2 971	926 941 954 3/4 966 974 1/2	964 979 1/4 993 1/2 1003 1011	980 995 1/2 1009 1/2 1019 3/4 1027 1/2	910 925 1/2 939 1/2 949 3/4 957 1/2
Wheat Dec Mar May Jul Sep	595 1/4 616 629 642 658 1/2	603 1/4 624 3/4 638 3/4 651 3/4 667 1/4	608 629 643 656 671 1/2	604 3/4 626 640 3/4 654 1/2 671 1/4	563 1/2 583 3/4 597 1/2 610 1/2 627 1/4
Corn Dec Mar May Jul Sep	424 442 1/2 454 3/4 466 474	417 433 1/2 445 1/2 456 1/4 462 1/2	427 1/2 444 455 3/4 466 472 1/2	438 1/4 456 3/4 467 1/2 478 1/4 483 1/4	408 1/4 425 3/4 437 1/2 448 1/4 453 1/4
KC Wheat Dec Mar May Jul Sep	628 1/4 648 1/4 660 3/4 668 1/4 680 3/4	634 653 3/4 661 1/2 672 1/2 680 3/4	638 657 1/2 678 675 685 1/2	638 657 1/4 669 3/4 675 688	605 623 1/2 636 1/2 640 653
SB Meal Oct Dec Jan Mar May	245.10 249.90 252.60 257.00 260.00	251.90 256.80 259.40 245.70 266.90	263.70 268.80 271.40 275.80 270.00	270.90 276.00 278.70 283.50 286.90	251.20 256.00 258.70 263.50 266.90

WEEKLY COMMODITY FUTURES TREND

Compared to last Friday: Live Cattle 5.88 to 6.48 lower, Lean Hogs .42 to 5.10 lower, Pork Bellies 1.25 to 9.25 lower, Feeder Cattle 5.00 to 5.75 lower.

Daily Futures Closes

		Daily Futui	C3 C108C8	,	,
	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.
Cattle Oct Dec Feb Apr Jun	92.60 94.77 94.70 95.37 93.20	93.40 95.10 95.12 95.45 93.67	92.45 94.95 95.10 95.75 93.60	92.12 94.30 94.82 95.45 92.90	89.12 91.30 91.82 92.45 89.90
Lean Hogs Oct Dec Feb Apr May	66.47 58.82 66.20 71.90 78.95	66.90 61.42 67.15 73.12 79.75	67.87 61.90 67.05 72.95 80.07	66.97 61.12 66.55 72.35 78.60	66.00 59.87 64.97 70.25 76.60
Prk Bel Feb Mar May Jul Aug	93.05 91.30 93.05 95.90 97.50	93.35 92.50 93.05 95.85 97.50	91.25 90.50 90.70 93.25 97.25	88.25 87.50 87.70 90.25 96.25	86.47 85.50 85.25 87.50 96.25
Fdr Cat Oct Nov Jan Mar Apr	97.67 97.80 97.40 98.55 99.10	99.20 98.65 97.62 98.70 99.80	98.90 98.32 97.92 99.40 100.25	98.45 98.05 98.05 99.40 100.10	95.45 95.05 95.05 96.40 97.10
Milk Oct Nov Dec	16.70 15.62 15.32	16.81 15.67 15.59	16.90 15.67 15.59	17.03 16.03 15.84	

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MISSOURI GRAIN WEEKLY TRENDS

Soybeans .56 to 1.17 lower Wheat .66 to .76 lower Corn .28 to .54 lower Grain Sorghum .82-.83 lower

Weekly Missouri Selected Cash Grain Bids

Area	#1 Soy- beans	#2 Soft Wheat	#2 Corn	#2 Grain Sorghum
Kansas City Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	8.92 8.96 9.34 9.50 8.80	3.93 3.99 4.03 4.03 3.70	3.96-3.99 3.89-3.92 4.10 4.20 3.96	6.05 5.93 6.13 6.30 5.77
St. Louis Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	8.41-8.76 8.83-8.95 9.18-9.27 9.40-9.42 8.77-8.85	3.75 4.00 4.03 4.05 3.64	3.57-3.71 3.70-3.79 3.81-3.87 3.94-3.95 3.70=37.8	4.92 5.08 5.35 5.53 5.00
Central Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	8.12-8.27 8.36-8.46 8.69-8.84 8.85-9.05 8.05-8.15	3.45-3.73 3.57-3.81 3.58-3.86 3.55-3.83 3.42-3.61	3.64-3.84 3.77-3.97 3.88-4.08 3.98-4.03 3.53-3.68	n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a
S.E. MO Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday	8.15-8.40 8.38-8.56 8.91-8.92 9.11-9.17 8.08-8.37	3.37-3.48 3.45-3.73 3.60-3.78 3.76-3.85 3.15-3.50	3.23-3.30 3.23-3.40 3.38-3.55 3.61-3.68 3.19-3.31	3.23-4.78 3.23-4.76 3.71-4.94 3.98-5.14 3.42-4.35

(PRICES PER BU. EXCEPT GR. SORG. PER CWT)
*NEW CROP

Missouri Weekly Hay Summary

Farmers around the state continue to bale fall hay. Some farmers have now taken three cuttings off some fescue fields which is unheard of in Missouri. Hay movement remains slow at the current time. Outside pressures from the economy and eroding grain markets applying significant pressure on hay prices. Hay prices steady to weak. The supply is moderate to heavy and demand is light to moderate. (All prices per ton unless specified) Supreme quality Alfalfa(RFV>185) 170.00-215.00 premium quality Alfalfa(RFV170-180) 150.00-175.00 Fair to Good quality Alfalfa (RFV130-170) Round bales 90.00-150.00 Small, Big squares 100.00-160.00 Good quality mixed Alfalfa and grass small square bales 3.50-6.50 per bale, 40.00-80.00 per large round bale, Good to Premium quality Prairie hay small squares 80.00-125.00, Fair to good quality Prairie hay 40.00-75.00, Premium Quality Brome large Squares 90.00-150.00 Good quality Brome 60.00-120.00 Fair quality Brome and mixed with grass round bales 30.00-50.00. Good quality Timothy Hay 3.00-5.00 per small square bale, Good quality Mixed Grass hay 50.00-100.00. Fair to good quality mixed grass 30.00-50.00 per large round bale, Fair to good quality Bermuda grass 50.00-65.00 per round bale, or 70.00 to 100.00 per ton, Wheat hay 50.00-70.00, Wheat straw 2.50-4.00 small bale.